

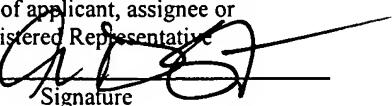
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Case No. 70/85

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

James O. Burke

Examiner: Dolinar, Andrew M.

Serial No.: 10/797,638

Group Art Unit No.: 3747

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For: Methods For Starting An Internal
Combustion Engine

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendment and consideration of the following remarks in the above-identified application prior to examination.